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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Patent Application of:**

Vince M. Giampa, et al.

**Serial No.:** 10/068,285

**Filed: February 5, 2002**

**Title: Tall Oil Pitch and Fatty-Acid Based Chemical Change Agent [CCA] Formulation for Solid and Synthetic Fuel Production**

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**Examiner: Toomer, Cephia D.**

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### RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

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**Sir:**

In response to the Final Official Action dated April 27, 2004 and the Advisory Action dated July 8, 2004, we re-submit the following amendments with correction of the clerical error noted in the Advisory Action. Applicant gratefully acknowledges the telephonic conference with Primary Examiner Toomer in which it was discussed that no amendments were made to the claims and only non-allowed claims were canceled.

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